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Subject: ENGLISH

समय : 03 घण्टे
Time : 03 Hours

पूर्णांक : 100
Maximum Marks : 100

Note:-

- (i) **Attempt all questions**
- (ii) **ESP sets have choice.**
- (iii) **Hand writing should be good.**

Q.1 Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions.

Jamshedji Tata wanted to make textiles in Nagpur in the 1800s with the cotton grown there. Nagpur had no textile industry then, and in Manchester Jamshedji was told that Nagpur's weather was not suitable as it was too dry. He said, "Alright, I will bring the Manchester weather to Nagpur". He imported humidifiers and started India's first textile mill in 1874. Jamshedji started the Tata Iron and steel company and wanted to export steel rails to Britain. A Britisher called Sir Frederick UP court scoffed, if Tata makes steel rails to British specifications, I will undertake to eat every pound of rail that they make, "History stands testimony to the fact that Tatas did manage to make steel rails and export them to Britain. No accounts are available about UP court tryest with gastric challenges. In fact, world war II British tanks were called Tata nagars because the steel was made in Tata Nagar.

Jamshedji pursued his dream, put together a team, raised the capital, created a product, and mainstreamed it. He did it sitting in India 125 years ago when India's technical capabilities were for less than they are now. When you dream, surely some of it gets translated into reality, A century ago, Jamshedji took some foreign visitors to the majestic Hotel in Mumbai

but was denied entrance because he was an Indian. Jamshedji simply resolved to build a hotel that was even finer, and which would not discriminate against people based on colour or race.

Questions:

- (a) Give the opposite of the word "Imported". (1)
- (b) Give the verb form of the word "Entrance" (1)
- (c) Which word has the similar meaning of "certainly" (1)
- (d) A native of India is called (1)
- (e) Jamshedji Tata wanted to make a mill. (1)
- (f) British tanks were called (1)
- (g) Jamshedji was denied from entering into (1)
- (h) Jamshedji wanted to export steel to (1)
- (i) What was the result of this incident? (2)
- (j) Find out the words from the passage which convey the following meanings: (2)
 - (i) Declaration of truth or fact.
 - (ii) Of the stomach.

Q.2 Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below:

In the modern world, honesty has lost its meaning. Wealth plays an important role in man's life today. Value of money has gone high, Everyone wants to become rich without hard labour. He does not hesitate to adopt any means at all to become rich. But still some people appreciate honesty. All religions lay down great stress on honesty. An honest man is always brave. He is not afraid of anybody. He is truthful and is liked by everybody. On the other hand, liar, greedy and cunning people earn more money but they are not liked by people.

Honesty should be maintained every where, at home, in school, among friends and even in the play ground. An honest person always obeys the law so he is free from serious trouble.

Honesty also gives rise to spiritual strength. So one takes up any challenge with confidence. On the other hand, a dishonest person can never be sure of anything. He is always busy in plotting. So he never gets peace. An honest man is rewarded with success. Even after his death, people remember him. He gets love and respect from others.

Questions:

(a) Read the above passage carefully and make notes on it and supply a title. (5)

(b) Prepare a Summary of the above passage. (3)

Q.3 Write a paragraph on any one of the following: (7)

(a) Role of computer in everyday life.

(b) Importance of Games and sports.

(c) Unemployment problem.

(d) Any Great leader.

Q.4 Write a letter to the collector of your district requesting him to ban the use of loud speakers during the examination days. (6)

OR

You are Krupa Shankar soni, residing 64, Arera colony, Bhopal, Write a letter to your friend Jaspal Rana residing in chetana Nagar, Shahdol inviting him to come to Bhopal in summer vacation and stay with you for some days.

Q.5 (a) Edit the following passage for mistakes in spelling punctuation and grammar: (5)

Oh papa, last weak, my rose plant almost dead. I ask my Biology teacher what i should do to save it. And she was cross she said go ask the guy whom keeps gardening things.

(b) Fill in the blanks with correct words. (5)

(a) that glitters is not gold. (all, each, every)

(b) Ram is N. C. C. cadet. (a, an, the)

(c) We prefer wisdom wealth. (than, with, to)

(d) Ram his work. (doing, does, do)

(e) I have money in the pocket. (many, any, some)

(c) Do as directed : (any five) (5)

- (a) Some body cleans the room every day. (Change into passive voice)
- (b) He confessed his sin. (change into complex sentence)
- (c) As soon as he saw the police, he ran away. (use “no sooner than”)
- (d) (i) He is not sane.
(ii) He is not brilliant.

(combine these sentences using “neither nor”)

- (e) He does his duty. (change into negative)
- (f) He is too poor to pay his fees. (change into complex sentence)

Q.6 (a) Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below: (5)

It was good that I lost my sight when I did, because having no memories of seeing, there was nothing to look back to: Nothing to miss. I went blind in November 1937. At that time we were living in Gujarat, in the province of Punjab in northern India. After my sickness who came to sympathies made my father ask for another transfer, this time to Karnal, where we had neither friends nor relatives. There we got a cottage on the canal bank, built in very peaceful and quiet surroundings.

Questions:

- (a) Why does the speaker appreciate losing his sight when he was very young?
- (b) Where did the speaker live when he lost his sight?
- (c) Where did the speaker’s family move after his sickness?
- (d) What made the speaker’s father ask for another transfer?
- (e) Where did the speaker live in Karnal?

- (b) Read the poem carefully and answer the questions given below it: (5)

Where the mind is without fear

and head is held high

Where knowledge is free

Where the world has not been broken

up into Fragments by narrow domestic walls.

Questions;

- (a) Who cannot raise his head high?
- (b) How can knowledge be free?
- (c) What does Tagore mean by narrow domestic walls?
- (d) Give the opposite of "Slave."
- (e) Give the opposite of "low".

- Q.7 Answer any five of the following questions: (5×2=10)

- (a) How did madan behave with Jagdish Babu the next day?
- (b) What does the writer think is wrong with his education? What would he really like to learn about?
- (c) What determines the temperature of the earth?
- (d) How do you know that the doctor was relaxed after the baby was born?
- (e) What was the usual fate of blind children in those days?
- (f) Why did Baldev live at the station away from his family?
- (g) Why did grandmother ask Simmi to fetch her mother?

- Q.8 What does Nehru wish for India's future? (4)

OR

List at least 3 (three) Facts about Gerrard that the intruder had found out before coming to his house.

Q.9 Answer any four questions from the following:

(4×2=8)

- (a) Why have the woods been described as “yellow”?
- (b) Why had the scorpion entered the hut?
- (c) What is meant by “Where knowledge is free”?
- (d) Why does the poetess like to go back to the house?
- (e) What does the poet mean by the word ‘care’ in the poem ‘Leisure’?

ESP science

Q.10 Match the items in column ‘A’ and their description given in column ‘B’

(10)

Column ‘A’	Column ‘B’
(1) Uranium	(a) Information
(2) Data	(b) Produces a permanent image of an object.
(3) Solar cooker	(c) Should be level or gently sloping
(4) The garden site	(d) An element with an unstable nucleus
(5) A camera	(e) A simple technological device that can exploit solar energy.

Q.11 Answer the following questions: (any four)

(4×2½=10)

- (a) How do the weeds harm the plants?
- (b) What is emotional stress? How does it affect the body?
- (c) What is chain reaction?
- (d) How does frost form in the fridge?
- (e) What makes computer such a miraculous device?

OR
ESP Receptionist

Q.10 (a) List some of the materials that may help a receptionist in her work. (10)

(b) What are the special skills required for managing a telephone?

Q.11 Write down the requests for which the following are possible answers: (10)

(i) Mr. Nigam is at Telephone No. 2458698.

(ii) Yes, I'll send in a glass of fresh orange juice with the waiter.

(iii) Yes, The flight to Mumbai is scheduled at 4 P.M.

(iv) Yes, I'll call for a doctor urgently.

(v) Yes, Your bills are ready at the reception.
